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Mr. Gartha Dekle DeLoach  
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Hilton Head Island, South Carolina 29928

## **OUTSIDE SOURCE**

Dear Mr. DeLoach:

Thank you for allowing FBI Historian, Dr. Susan R. Falb, and Mr. Rex Tomb, of our Tour Unit, to examine the collection of J. Edgar Hoover memorabilia at the J. Edgar Hoover Library, Freedoms Foundation, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania.

Dr. Falb has examined the memorabilia stored at FBI Headquarters and wanted to compare the collection here with the collection at Freedoms Foundation in order to better determine the best repositories for the items. While she draws a distinction between items of significance to the Bureau and those of significance to Hoover's personal life, she found the Freedoms Foundation collection a fascinating one. Mr. Tomb is concerned about items that might be used for exhibits and he too found material of interest to him. While Dr. Falb and Mr. Tomb decided not to borrow any items at this time, they have copies of the inventory and may wish to do so in the future.

Please convey my thanks to Dr. Franz Lassner, Senior Vice-President for Programs, for arranging this visit. Hal Badger, Librarian, located items of interest to Dr. Falb and Mr. Tomb and otherwise extended them every courtesy.

Sincerely,

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